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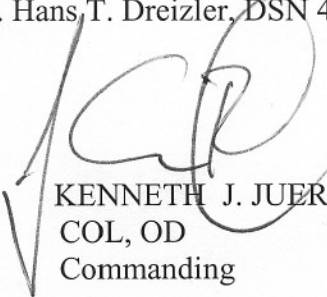
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MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Drowning Prevention/Authorized Swimming Areas

1. Drowning is a leading cause of deaths in USAREUR. In most cases, they occur during off-duty recreational swimming in unauthorized swimming areas, and are frequently related to alcohol use and hypothermia.
2. In general, all commercially operated facilities (public swimming pools) are approved for personnel located within the USAG Stuttgart area of responsibility. The attached enclosure contains a list of public swimming pools located in and around the Stuttgart area, which can be used by U.S. military and civilian personnel. The USAG Garmisch Safety Office will publish a separate list of authorized swimming areas within their AOR. This memorandum and the enclosed listing of authorized swimming areas will be posted on bulletin boards from Memorial Day through Labor Day.
3. Natural water bodies, such as lakes, gravel pits, and rivers are in principle **OFF LIMITS** to USAG Stuttgart personnel, because of potential dangers, such as sharp drop-offs, swift currents, hidden obstructions on the bottom, and extremely low water temperatures. Only natural water bodies, which are approved and clearly marked as an approved swimming area by the local Host Nation authorities and where official lifeguards are present i.e., lifeguards from the German Life Rescue Association (DLRG), are authorized for use.
4. This memorandum is effective until superseded.
5. The point of contact for this action is Mr. Hans T. Dreizler, DSN 421-2752.

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LIST OF PUBLIC SWIMMING POOLS IN/AROUND THE STUTTGART AREA

Indoor Pools

Stuttgart

Outside Stuttgart

Bad Cannstatt
Feuerbach
Hesalch
Ost (Leo Vetter Bad)
Plieningen
Sonnenberg
Untertuerkheim
Vaihingen
Zuffenhausen

Bernhausen
Bissingen
Bietigheim (Bad am Viadukt)
Esslingen (Merkelsche Bad)
Kornwestheim
Leinfelden (Stadionbad)
Ostfildern-Nellingen
Ostfildern-Ruit
Sindelfingen
Boeblingen

Outdoor Pools

Stuttgart

Outside Stuttgart

Killesberg
Moehringen
Vaihingen (Rosental)
Sillenbuch
Untertuerkheim (Inselbad)
Ost (Mineralbad Berg)
Ost (Mineralbad Leuze)

Asperg
Bietigheim (Ellental)
Beoblingen (Stadtbad)
Boeblingen (Mineralbad)
Denkendorf
Ludwigsburg (Hoheneck)
Sindelfingen
Esslingen (Neckarfreibad)
Bonlanden (Filderado)